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Docket H10313JDP
Customer No. 01333

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Thomas J. Foster

POST RIP IMAGE RENDERING
IN AN ELECTROGRAPHIC
PRINTER TO PREVENT
CHARACTER SHIFT

Serial No. 10/785,676

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Examiner: Mark E. Wallerson

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicants hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from Primary Examiner's decision dated September 20, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-24.

Please charge the appeal fee to Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225. **(A duplicate copy of this Notice is enclosed.)**

No petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action is deemed necessary for the present Notice of Appeal because the Response Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 dated November 18, 2005 was filed within 2 months of the September 20, 2005 Final Office Action, and no Advisory Action has been mailed. If, however, such a petition is required to make this Notice timely filed, then this paper should be considered such a petition, and the Commissioner is authorized to charge the required petition fee to Deposit Account No. 05-0225.

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